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8 August 1984

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Briefing for House Armed Services Committee on Soviet ABM Activities

1. On 8 August 1984, members of the House Armed Services Committee were briefed on Soviet ABM activities. The briefing was at the Top Secret/codeword level and a full transcript was taken. Security swept the room, monitored the briefing, and escorted the transcript. (U)

2. Present from the Committee were:

Melvin Price (D., IL), Chairman
Charles E. Bennett (D., FL)
Samuel S. Stratton (D., NY)
Dan Daniel (D., VA)
Les Aspin (D., WI)
Beverly B. Byron (D., MD)
Earl Hutto (D., FL)
Marvin Leath (D., TX)
Roy Dyson (D., MD)
Norman Sisisky (D., VA)
Richard B. Ray (D., GA)
John M. Spratt, Jr. (D., SC)
Frank McCloskey (D., IN)
Ronald Coleman (D., TX)
George W. Darden (D., GA)
William L. Dickinson (R., AL)
G. William Whitehurst (R., VA)
Floyd D. Spence (R., SC)
Marjorie S. Holt (R., MD)
Elwood Hillis (R., IN)
Robert E. Badham (R., CA)
Bob Stump (R., AZ)
Duncan Hunter (R., CA)
Daniel B. Crane (R., IL)   (U)

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3. Present from CIA were:

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4. Present from DIA were:

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5. Following the briefing, Committee Staff Director
Wincup said the members were very pleased with the
comprehensive way the briefers covered both Soviet ABM and
ASAT activities. Although the Committee had not asked for
the latter topic, it is currently being debated in
conference on the Defense authorization bill, and the
briefers handled the topic deftly. (S)

6. The only follow-up required is for _____ to   25X1
provide for the record a possible funding proposal for
_____ He will insert this in the transcript. (S)   25X1
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